

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend paragraphs [0062], [0063], [0064], [0065], [0066], [0067] and [0068] as follows:

[0062] Description of Preferred Embodiments

As a preferable embodiment of the present invention, the liquid treatment equipment ~~set forth in claim 1~~ further comprises an additive agent supply unit. The additive agent supply unit is disposed connected to the treatment solution circulating system and supplies additive agent of organic components and/or of sulfur component in the circulated treatment solution.

[0063] Furthermore, as a preferable embodiment of the present invention, the liquid treatment equipment ~~set forth in claim 1~~ further comprises an additive agent concentration measuring unit. The additive agent concentration measuring unit is disposed connected to the treatment solution circulating system and measures concentration of additive agent of organic components and/or of sulfur component in the circulated treatment solution.

[0064] Furthermore, as a preferable embodiment of the present invention, the liquid treatment equipment ~~set forth in claim 1~~ further comprises a volume/weight measuring unit. The volume/weight measuring unit is disposed in the treatment solution circulating system and measures a volume or weight of the circulated treatment solution.

[0065] Furthermore, as a preferable embodiment of the present invention, the liquid treatment equipment ~~set forth in claim 1 or 7~~ comprises a product removal unit, wherein the product removal unit removes the reaction products by electrically absorbing them.

[0066] Furthermore, as a preferable embodiment of the present invention, in the liquid treatment equipment ~~set forth in claim 1 or 7~~, the product removal unit includes a heating unit for heating the circulated treatment solution.

[0067] Still furthermore, as a preferable embodiment of the present invention, the liquid treatment equipment ~~set forth in claim 7~~ further comprises a reservoir tank. In the above, the reservoir tank is disposed in the treatment solution circulating system on the way from the treatment solution bath to the recycle bath to reserve temporarily the treatment solution to be circulated.

[0068] Furthermore, as a preferable embodiment of the present invention, the liquid treatment equipment ~~set forth in claim 7~~ further comprises a buffer bath. In the above, the buffer bath is disposed in the treatment solution circulating system on the way from the recycle bath to the treatment solution bath to reserve temporarily the treatment solution to be circulated.